UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

HINDS COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI on behalf of itself and

all other similarly situated State and municipal entities,

Index No. 08 CV 2516 (LTS) (ECF CASE)

Plaintiff.

- against -

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

WACHOVIA BANK N.A.; AIG FINANCIAL PRODUCTS CORP.; AIG SUNAMERICA LIFE ASSURANCE CO.; BEAR, STEARNS & CO., INC.; FINANCIAL SECURITY ASSURANCE HOLDINGS, LTD.; FINANCIAL SECURITY ASSURANCE, INC.; FINANCIAL GUARANTY INSURANCE COMPANY; GE FUNDING CAPITAL MARKET SERVICES, INC.; TRINITY FUNDING CO., LLC; GENWORTH FINANCIAL INC.; NATIXIS S.A. F/K/A IXIS CORPORATE AND INVESTMENT BANK; JP MORGAN CHASE & CO.; LEHMAN BROTHERS INC.; MERRILL LYNCH & CO, INC.; MORGAN STANLEY; NATIONAL WESTMINSTER BANK PLC; : PIPER JAFFRAY & CO.; SOCIETE GENERALES SA: UBS AG; XL ASSET FUNDING COMPANY LLC; XL LIFE INSURANCE & ANNUITY, INC.; NATIXIS FUNDING CORP. F/K/A CDC FUNDING CORP.; INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT ADVISORY GROUP. : INC.; BANK OF AMERICA N.A.; CDR FINANCIAL PRODUCTS; FELD WINTERS FINANCIAL LLC: WINTERS & CO. ADVISORS; K. BAUM & CO.; KINSELL NEWCOMB & DE DIOS INC.; PACKERKISS SECURITIES, INC.; CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, INC.; CAIN BROTHERS & CO., LLC; and MORGAN KEEGAN & CO., INC.,

Defendants.

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Howard Kaplan of the law firm Arkin Kaplan Rice LLP hereby appears in this action as counsel for Defendant Cain Brothers & Co., LLC and requests

that all papers in this action be served upon, and all communications directed to, the undersigned at the address provided below.

Dated: New York, New York

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